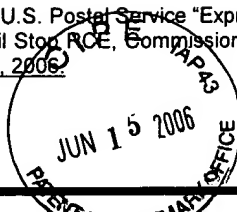



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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number 8150/3	
In re Application of: Duane L. WIRES			
Application Number: 09/741,780		Filed: December 19, 2000	
For: METHOD AND COMPOSITIONS FOR MANUFACTURING PLASTIC OPTICAL LENS			
Art Unit: 1711		Examiner: Susan W. Berman	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to <u>the Office Action dated December 15, 2005</u> in the above identified application.			
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows:			
		<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60 \$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$450	\$225 \$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	\$510 <u>\$510.00</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$795 \$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080 \$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	A check in the amount of \$510.00 is enclosed.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. <u>50-0930</u> . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.		
June 15, 2006		 Steven B. Courtright, Reg. No. 40,966 Agent for Applicant	
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